

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

ROBERT ANTHONY MENDOZA, JR.,

Defendant.

Case No. 1:22-cr-00193-DAD-BAM

**ORDER REQUIRING GOVERNMENT TO
SHOW CAUSE WHY BOND SHOULD NOT
BE RETURNED TO SURETY**

FOURTEEN DAY DEADLINE

A detention hearing as to Defendant Robert Anthony Mendoza, Jr. was held on July 8, 2022. (ECF No. 5.) Defendant was ordered released with conditions, including a \$2,000 cash bond. (ECF No. 7.) On July 11, 2022, Diana Ayala posted a cash bond in the amount of \$2,000 (Receipt # CAE100050878). (ECF No. 6.) The Defendant was advised that the bond “will be satisfied and the security will be released when either: (1) the defendant is found not guilty on all charges, or (2) the defendant reports to serve a sentence.” (ECF No. 8 at 2.)

On March 27, 2024, Defendant entered a guilty plea to charged offenses pursuant to a written plea agreement.¹ (ECF Nos. 41, 43, 44.) On August 26, 2024, Defendant was sentenced to a custodial term of 30 months. (ECF Nos. 64, 65.) Defendant has reported to serve his sentence.²

¹ At this time, Defendant was in custody pursuant to a detention order following a violation of pretrial release. (ECF Nos. 58, 61.)

² See United States v. Basher, 629 F.3d 1161, 1165 & n.2 (9th Cir. 2011) (taking judicial notice of publicly available information from the Federal Bureau of Prisons Inmate Locator).

1 Given Defendant has reported to serve his sentence, the Court shall order the Government
2 to show cause in writing withing **fourteen (14) days** of entry of this order why the \$2,000
3 appearance bond should not be released to the surety. If the Government does not respond to this
4 show cause order in writing, that lack of response will be construed as a non-opposition to an
5 order by the Court directing the Clerk of Court to return the bond to the address of the surety on
6 file.

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8 IT IS SO ORDERED.

9 Dated: **July 10, 2025**



STANLEY A. BOONE
United States Magistrate Judge